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# W. A. MANDA, Inc.

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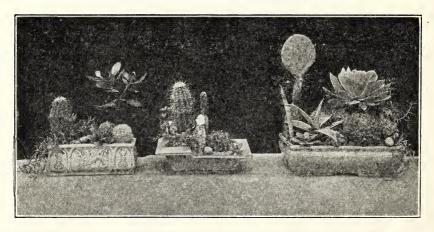
"SAY IT WITH PLANTS
AND FLOWERS"

SOUTH ORANGE, N. J.





CHOICE CACTUS GARDENS IN VARIETY



FEW OF OUR CACTUS GARDENS

### MANDA'S CACTUS GARDENS

These beautiful Combinations are one of the originations of W. A. MANDA. It was back in 1920 when the first Gardens were sent out, planted in ordinary pans or square seed pans, and were gradually improved by using numerous varieties, sizes, shapes and colors of not only domestic bowls and dishes, but importations from Japan, China and several European countries, as well as our own original designs. In sizes they vary from 1½ inches in diameter to window boxes 2½ feet long and various shaped containers from 4 inches to 2 feet in diameter.

The best selection of the over 1,000 varieties which we are growing, are used, in sizes of plants not bigger than a quarter of an inch to large specimens nearly a foot across and a foot or two high. These are planted with volcanic rock to which these plants like to attach their roots and which gives the garden also a natural rocky effect, as it is aimed to have each of these gardens represent a miniature section as the plants grow naturally.

These Gardens should not be confounded with lots of poor imitations, where just so many plants are jammed together, having a sameness of effect, and without being previously established, naturally do not last.

The prices of these beautiful gardens are from \$1.00 up, according to the size and quality of the dish as well as the choice of the plants used.

We have also choice fancy pots from 1 inch up to 1 foot across, planted with individual specimens of CACTI of select beauty. These individual specimens range in price from 50c to \$9.00 each, according to their size and rarity.

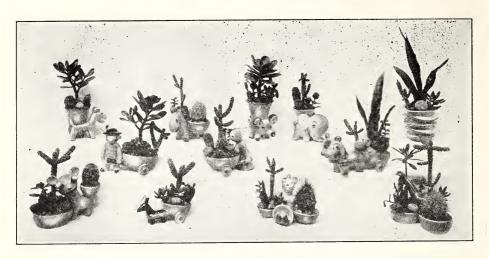
CACTI and SUCCULENTS are the easiest to cultivate—all they require is plenty of light, air and sun and they will stand any temperature from 35 to 135 degrees. They should not be over-watered—by giving them a thorough watering or submersion of the part containing the soil and rock once a week, they receive all the care they need.

They are the hardiest and most useful plants for house decoration so that even in the city in dry steam-heated apartments they can be used as window boxes, as plants for the centre of the dining room table and for ornamentation throughout the house.

There is nothing that adds cheer to an office like one or two of these Gardens, which can be watered either first thing on Monday when entering the office or the last thing on Saturday before the office is closed, and they will take care of themselves during the rest of the week.

As gifts for any occasion they are useful on account of their most wonderful lasting qualities, beauty and novelty.

So try some of Manda's Cactus Gardens, which are kept by all first-class florists.



GROTESQUE HAND-MADE FIGURES PLANTED WITH CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF CACTI



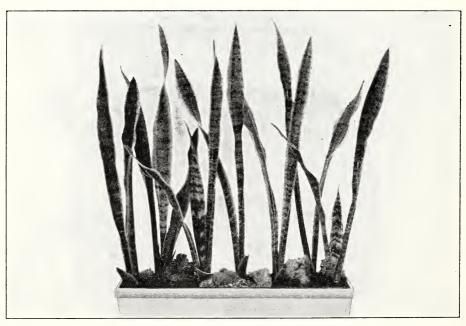
VARIOUS ANIMAL NOVELTIES PLANTED

Price, 35 Cents and Upward

CACTI
Most interesting plants in the vegetable kingdom, varying as to size, shape and
color, and on account of their resistance to dry atmosphere, are the most lasting
plants for house culture. We have the largest and most varied stock in cultivation,
and can supply your wants. Our selection:  Nice little plantsFrom 1 to 2 inch pots, 25c each
Nice plantsFrom 2½ to 3 inch pots, 35c each Strong plants4 inch pots, 50c each
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Strong plants4 to 4½ inch pots, 75c each Extra strong plants5 to 6 inch pots, \$1.00 to \$1.50 each
SUCCULENTS
Like the Cacti offer endless forms, shapes and colors, some with beautiful
flowers, and all stand a dry atmosphere. We grow a quantity of all the most desir-
able, and can furnish same at low prices in variety. Leave selection to us, we give
you good value.  Nice little plants1 to 2 inch pots, 15c each
Nice plants2½ to 3 inch pots, 25c each
Strong plants4 inch pots, 35c each
Strong plants4 to 5 inch pots, 50c each Extra strong plants5 to 6 inch pots, 75c to \$1.25 each
Potted in glazed or fancy pots25c to 50c additional
ECHEVERIAS
This class of plants has been found the most decorative as well as the most
lasting, and with the numerous varieties besides some valuable hybrids raised by us,
we have the grandest stock in the world. We will select liberally.  Nice plants in variety2 to 3 inch pots, 15c each
Nice plants in variety inch pots, 15c each
Strong plants4 inch pots, 50c each
Extra strong plants5 to 6 inch pots, 75c to \$1.50 each Specimens in spike, to flower from Christmas until Easter\$2.50 to 7.50 each
Reserve some before they are sold out.
MANDA'S CACTUS GARDENS
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COMBINATION OF SANSEVERIAS IN FANCY DISHES IN GREAT VARIETY (See Page Five)



WINDOW BOX OF SANSEVERIAS LAURENTI (See Page Five)

#### **SANSEVERIAS**

These are the most lasting plants for house decoration. We have grand stock in three varieties, either as single plants or in fine attractive combinations.

S. Zeylandica	5 each
S. Zeylandica 5 inch pots,	
S. Zeylandicastrong 5 inch pots, 1.0	
S. Zeylandica6 to 8 inch pots, 1.50 to \$2.5	0 each
S. Guianensis, broad foliage, same sizes and prices as S. Zeylandica above. S. Laurentii, beautiful variety with gold bands on the edges—	
S. Laurentii, 4 inch pots, strong\$1.	0 each
S. Laurentii, 5 inch pots, very strong1.	
S. Laurentii, 6 inch pots, extra strong 2."	
S. Laurentii, 3 strong growths grown together 2.	5 each
S. Laurentii, Specimens, all sizes, from5.00 to 15.0	
Beautiful plants in fancy containers2.00 to 15.	0 each

#### BROMELIADS OR PINEAPPLE FAMILY

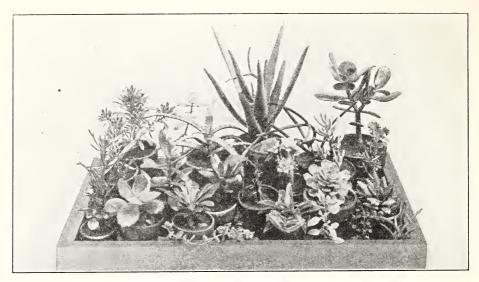
"The Living Vase Plants." An extraordinary class of foliage plants; very lasting, and as the crown and foliage hold water, they can be used as vases to put spray flowers in. Their flowers are showy and of bizarre coloring, together with their hardy qualities are most desirable house plants.

Cryptanthus acaulis2 1/2 in	ch po	ts,	\$ .35	each
Cryptanthus acaulis, larger, and other varieties3 in	ch po	ts,	.50	each
Assorted varieties and sizes, varying from	.75	to	3.50	each
Special Show Plants	5.00	to	10.00	each
Artistic and natural Combinations, with assorted plants, in				
cork containers, from	3.50	to	12.00	each
Artistic and natural Combinations, with assorted plants, in				
artistic bowls, from	2.50	to	7.50	each

## **IVIES**

One of the best green florists' plants. We grow a large quantity of this useful plant in all sizes from babies in one-inch pots to show plants in large tubs, and our collection comprises over thirty-five distinct varieties. Besides, we grow its close competitor, the Vitis rhomboidea, which please try.

Choice plants for favors, in 1 or 2 inch pots\$	.15	each
Fine Plants, in 2 to 3 inch pots, in 12 varieties	.18	each
Fine Plants of ordinary Ivy, 4 inch pots	.25	each
Fine Plants in variety, in 5 inch pans		
Specimens in all sizes and shapes\$1.00 to	25.00	each
Fancy, trained Ivies, in fancy pots or pans, in all sizes and		
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COLLECTION OF TWENTY SUCCULENTS IN VARIETY FOR \$4.50



COLLECTION OF TWENTY VARIETIES OF CACTI FOR \$6.50

# PLANTS FOR JAPANESE GARDENS

H	Each		Each
Pachysandra\$	.18	Euonymus variegata	
Podocarpus25 to	.75	Ophiopogon Japonica Nephythitis	
Pittosporum50 and		Aglaonema chinensis	
Cryptanthus acaulis	.35	Peperomia, green	25
Cryptanthus acaulis purpura35	.50	Ficus repens	
Ophiopogon Jaburan	.25	Ficus species	
Ophiopogon Jaburan var	.35	Bromeliads, in var	
Reineckia	.25	Helxine	
Sanseviera25 and	.35	Anthericum, in var.	
Pothos aurens	.25	Aloe Robertii	25
Small leaf ivy	.15	Asst. small evergreens	35

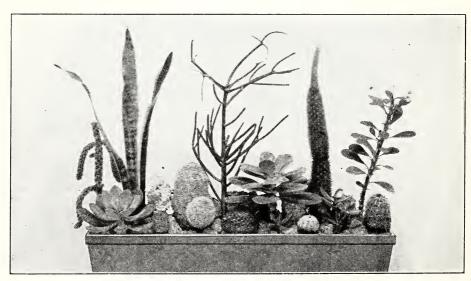
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# FEW LEADING VARIETIES FOR MAKING UP

SUCCULENTS	Sempervivum tournefortii\$ .15
Aloe Roberti\$ .3	Sempervivum hybridum
Aloe Roberti	(Irish Rose)50
	Sempervivum tectorum15
Aloe vera hybrid7	, Yucca aloliolla 1.00
Aloe in variety50c to 2.0	Yucca alolfolia55
Aloe brevifolia5	1 ucca alonoma, variegata 1:00
Aloe brevifolia 1.0	Festuca glauca13
	Festuca glauca40
Aloe brevifolia 1.5	
Aloe saponaria	
	CACTI
Aloe arborescens 1.0	Corolla nontagonila
	Coroug jamacaru .35
	Echinocactus horizonthalonius25
Agave Americana	Echioncactus horizonthalonius35
Agave Americana, variegata5	Echinocactus texensis25
Crassula arborescens1	Echinocactus texensis35
Crassula tetragona1	Echinocereus chloranthus25
Crassula cordata1	Echinocereus chloranthus35
Crassula lycopodiodes1	5 Echinocereus chloranthus50
Crassula gracilis1	Echinocereus dasyacanthus25
Crassula gracilis5	Echinocereus daspacanthus35 Echinocereus dasyacanthus50
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Crassula arborescens3	
Crassula arborescens7	
Crassula arborescens 1.0	00 Escobaria dasvacanthus50
Crassula species1 Crassula species2	Escobaria multiceps20
Crassula species2 Echeveria gracilis1	20 Escobaria multiceps25
Echeveria gracilis1 Echeveria globosa2	
Echeveria globosa 3	
Echeveria globosa	
Echeveria clavata hybrid2	20 Mammillaria micromeris25
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Echeveria linguifolia	Maniminate Macorollo ======
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Echeveria Weinbergii hybrid2	Mammillaria Sneedii25
Echeveria coccinea1	5 Mammillaria tuberculata
Euphorbia splendens25 to 1.0	Mammillaria tuberculata25
Euphorbia tirucalli1	15 Opuntia arborescens25
Euphorbia tirucalli2	OP
Fourcroya lindenni	
Transfer of the protect	Opuntia erinacea35
	Opuntia erinacea50
Kleinia cylindrica2	25 Opuntia braziliensis
	Opuntia microdasys75
	15 Opuntia monacantha15
	15 Opuntia frutescens25 50 Opuntia frutescens50
	15 Opuntia Schottii25
	50 Opuntia spineless 25
Sedum Palmerii1	15 Opuntia spineless (Ellisiana)35
P	35 Opuntia spineless (Ellisiana)50
	50 Opuntia spineless (Ellisiana)75 15 Opuntia spineless (Ellisiana) 1.00
Sedum tortuosum1	15 Opuntia spineless (Ellisiana) 1.00



EXTRA FINE COMBINATION OF CACTI AND SUCCULENTS IN IMPORTED CONTAINERS



WINDOW BOX PLANTED WITH CHOICE STOCK

# CHOICE STOVE AND GREENHOUSE PLANTS

ACORUS JAPONICA VARIEGATA. Fine variegated hardy plant.	
Fine $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch pot plants	each
ANTHERICUM MANDAIANUM, green and yellow plant for baskets or boxes.  4 inch pots	each
5 inch pots50c	each
ANTHERICUM VARIEGATUM, like small Pandanus, variegated leaves.	
3 inch pots	eacn each
5 inch pots50c	each
6 inch pots	each
3 inch pots	each
4 inch pots35c	each
5 inch pots	eacn
\$6.00 to \$7.50 e	each
AMMOMUM CARDAMOMUM, Ginger Plant. Very hardy plant, sweet foliage. 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50, to \$3.00 c	each
AUCUBA JAPONICA VAR. Fine strong bushes of this hardy golden foliage plan \$2.50	
ASPIDISTRA. Well known plant. We have all sizes, perfect plants at	eacn
12c and 15c per	
AGLAONEMAS, in variety. Hardy foliage plants to which the so-called Chin Evergreen belongs.	nese
A. Roebelenii, and A. Pictum, from	each
A. Sinensis (Chinese Evergreen), well known hardy plant for all purposes.  Nice plants	
Combinations, all sizes $\$1.00$ to $2.50$ $\epsilon$	
ARDISIA CRENULATA, fine plants, full of red berries for Christmas.  5 and 6 inch pots	aach
6 and 7 inch pots, extra fine\$2.50 to 3.00 e	each
BEGONIA REX, fine varieties	
BOXWOODS, all sizes	each
BROMELLIADS, in variety, most useful and hardy. (See page seven.)  CAMELLIAS, in variety, well budded	na ah
CALADIUM HYBRIDS. Grand variety of colors in these plants.	acii
Fine 4 and 5 inch pot plants50c to \$1.00 e	
Fine 6 to 8 inch specimens\$1.50 to 2.00 e	
CRYPTANTHUS, in variety, hardier than a Cactus, most useful35c to \$1.00 e DAPHNE ODORA, sweet scented, large flowering specimens\$4.00 to 5.00 e	
DIEFFENBACHIAS, in variety, beautiful foliage50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 e	
DRACAENA ROTHIANA, best house plant in cultivation.	
4 inch pot plants	
6 inch pot plants	
7 and 8 inch pot plants\$2.00 to 3.00 e	ach
Fine large combination plants	
EPIPHYLLUM, or Christmas Cactus	
EUONYMUS JAPONICA, green, silver and golden25c to	
EVERGREENS, all sizes, for all purposes 1.00 to 5.00 e	ach
FERNS, all sizes and varieties	
FICUS ELASTICA, Rubber Plant	ach
FICUS REPENS, dainty vine, hardy.  2 inch pot plants20c e	ach
3 inch pot plants30c e	ach

# CHOICE STOVE AND GREENHOUSE PLANTS

FICUS NITIDA, miniature leafed, bushy plants, very hardy.
6 inch pot plants\$2.50 each
8 inch pot specimens
FARFUGIUM GRANDE, the well known Leapord plant.
Fine 4 inch pot plants
FLOWERING PLANTS, standard as well as rare varieties50c up each
GRASSES:
CYPERUS ALTERNIFOLIUS NANUS (Dwarf), fine for combination planting,
3½ inch, 35c each
PANICUM VARIEGATUM, white, green and pink grass.
3 inch pot plants20c each
FESTUCA GLAUCA, beautiful blue, upright growing plant.
3 inch pot plants25c each
VARIEGATED ST. AUGUSTINE GRASS. Beautiful variegation.
3 inch pot plants
4 and 5 inch specimens50c
HELXINE SOLIERII, beautiful hardy moss-like plant.
3 inch pot plants
5 inch pans
HIBISCUS COOPERII, finely variegated35c to \$1.00 each
MANDA'S GOLDEN PRIVET, bright golden bushes.
5 inch pot plants\$ .75
6 inch pot plants
MUEHLBECKIA COMPLEXA, hardy vine, like Maidenhair. Useful for any purpose.
4 inch pot plants
MARANTA KERCHOVEANA, best of all.
3 inch pot plants25c each
4 inch pot plants
5 inch pot plants
OPHIOPOGON JAPONICA, fine evergreen, very hardy plant.
2½ and 3 inch pot plants25c each
OPHIOPOGON JABURAN. Hardy plant with beautiful blue flowers.
3 inch pot plants25c each
4 inch pot plants
OPHIOPOGON JABURAN AUREA VAR. Fine variegated form.
3 and 3½ pot plants50c each
PITTOSPORUM TOBIRAE, variegated. Fine bushes.
From
PACHYSANDRA TERMINALIS. Iron-clad plant for combination.
3 inch pot plants25c each
PANDANUS BAPTISTII. Beautiful colored and spineless variety.
Fine strong 8 inch pot plants\$3.50 to \$4.50 each
PEPEROMIA ARGYRONEURA. Called water-melon Begonia.
Nice 3 inch pot plants
PALMS. We are growing a lot of Palms, of which the following sizes will appeal to
everybody, as they are extraordinary quality and low in price. Besides these,
we have some wonderful specimens up to 20 ft. high.
KENTIA BELMOREANA, best palm in cultivation, perfect specimens.  4 inch pots, large
5 inch pots, three in a pot, fine, bushy
10 inch tubs, containing 5 plants, 30 in. high 6.00 each
10 inch tubs, containing 5 plants, 30 in. high 6.00 each 12 inch tubs, containing 5 plants, 36 in. high
12 inch tubs, containing 5 plants, $45-48$ in, high 9.50 each
PHOENIX ROEBELENII, graceful and hardy plants.
4 inch pots

# CHOICE STOVE AND GREENHOUSE PLANTS

5 inch pots       \$1.00 each         6 inch pots       2.00 each         POTHOS AUREUS. Golden foliage, almost everlasting.       Extra strong 3 inch pot plants.       .50c each         4 and 5 inch pot specimens       .75c to \$1.00 each         POTHOS CORDATUM. Green variety of similar habit; very durable.       3 inch pot plants.       .50c each         4 and 5 inch pot specimens       .75c to \$1.00 each         POLYPODIUM MANDAIANUM, best decorative fern.       \$1.50 each         8 inch tubs       2.50 each         10 inch tubs       4.50 each         12 inch tubs       6.00 each         PHILODENDRON PERTUSUM (Swiss Cheese Plant). Very hardy and ornamental       \$1.00 to \$4.50 each
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PHILODENDRON SPECIES. Fine plant to use same as Pothos, 3 inch pots_35c each
RHYNCHOSPERMUM MANDAIANUM (Manda's Jasmine). New primrose
yellow\$1.00 to \$3.50 each
REDWOOD BURLS. Most interesting and a ready seller. All sizes.
50c up to\$5.00 each
ROSES, in pots. All the best varieties of hybrid teas, as well as other roses, in bud
and bloom
TRADESCANTIAS, in our beautiful varieties, extra strong.
3 inch pot plants
5 inch pot plants
TRADESCANTIA DRACAENOIDES, the finest wall plant\$1.00 to \$3.00 each
VITIS RHOMBOIDEA, new vine, better than English Ivy as house vine.
3 Inch pot plants\$ .35 each
4 inch pot plants
5 and 6 inch pot plants
Specimens in tubs\$2.00 to 7.50 each



VARIOUS DISHES WITH WATER LOVING PLANTS



#### NEW GOLD MEDAL DECORATIVE PLANT DRACAENA GERTRUDE MANDA

Few large specimen plants, \$10.00 to \$18.00 Each

#### **INVITATION**

As an up-to-date Florist, no doubt you are looking for attractive NOVELTIES to draw the public to your store, reducing the expense of keeping expensive flowers on display, and adding a good-paying, most attractive and lasting of all the plant Novelties.

If you are interested in plants and wish to see what is conceded to be the finest collection of plants in the country take a train on the Lackawanna Railroad to South Orange, where our establishment is located right at the station, which is only fourteen miles from the City of New York. Or motor through the new Holland Tunnel and over the beautiful Jersey roads to South Orange and visit our establishment.

Here we can show you 100,000 plants of CACTI and SUCCULENTS in over 1,000 varieties. We can show you a CACTUS GARDEN under glass—the most unique CACTUS and SUCCULENT GARDEN in the world—where over 1,000 varieties of these beautiful plants in all sizes and shapes are planted and arranged as they grow in their native home.

Besides these, we can show you a fine collection of LIVING VASE PLANTS or BROMELIADS, all sorts of FANCY FOLIAGE and FLOWERING PLANTS, FERNS of all sizes, and so on. Old-fashioned HARDY HERBACEOUS PLANTS as well as beautiful ROCK PLANTS for Rock Gardens, including suitable Rocks.

The writer's fifty-eight years experience is at your service and costs you nothing.

# HARDY HERBACEOUS PLANTS

This is and has been our specialty for over thirty years and we can furnish field-grown stock which should not be compared with the small starved pot-grown stock.

Everybody should grow a collection of these plants which are very useful for cutting purposes from early spring until late in the fall.

#### ALL STRONG FIELD-GROWN PLANTS

	er 100	P	er 100
Achillea millefolia rubra	\$ 8.00	Euonymus radicans	10.00
Achillea serrata plena. "The		Euonymus radicans fol. var	
Pearl"	8.00	Eupatorium coclestinum	
Achillea tomentosa	12.00	Euphorbia corollata	
Aegopodium podograria variegata	10.00	Festuca glauca	
Agrostemma coronaria	10.00	Funkia cordata	
Ajuga reptans	8.00	Funkia grandiflora	
Althaea rosea. Double	8.00	Funkia Fortunei	
Althaea rosea. Single	8.00	Funkia lanceolata	
Anemone Japonica	15.00	Funkia undulata variegata	
Anemone Japonica alba	15.00	Gaillardia grandiflora hybrida	
Anemona Japonica rosea	15.00	Glechoma hederacea variegata	
Anemone Japonica Whirlwind		Gypsophila paniculata	
Aquilegia hybrids		Gypsophila paniculata fl. pl	
Armeria maritima	12.00 $12.00$	Helenium autumnale superbum.	
Arrhenantherum bulbosum	15.00	Helianthus Maximilianus	
Arundo Donax variegata	25.00	Helianthus mollis grandiflorus	
Asclepias tuberosa	8.00	Helianthus multiflorus	
Aster. Many varieties	8.00	Helianthus multiflorus plenus	12.00 $12.00$
Baptisia australis		Helianthus orgyalis	12.00 $12.00$
Boltonia asteroides	10.00	Heliopsis Pitcherianus	8.00
Boltonia latisquama	10.00	Hemerocallis Dumortierii	
Campanula Carpatica	10.00	Hemerocallis flava	8.00
Campanula persicifolia		Hemerocallis fulva	8.00
Campanula persicifolia alba		Hemerocallis gramnifolius	
Campanula rapunculoides		Hemerocallis Thunbergii	
Cassia Marylandica	15.00	Hibiscus resplendens	18.00
Cerastium tomentosum	10.00	Hibiscus Mallow Marvels	18.00
Chrysanthemum. Hardy. Twenty	10.00	Hibiscus moscheutos	15.00 $15.00$
varieties	10.00	Iberis sempervirens superba	
Convallaira majalis Clumps	25.00	Iris aurea	
Coreopsis delphinifolia	12.00	Iris Germanica, in 25 vars	8.00
Coreopsis Harvest Moon	8.00	Iris Kaempferii, in 50 vars	18.00
Croeopsis lanceolata	8.00	Iris ochroleuca	
Coreopsis rosea	8.00	Iris Sibirica alba	
Delphinium formosum	12.00	Iris Sibirica sanguinea	
	$12.00 \\ 12.00$	Lathyrus latifolius	
	12.00 $12.00$	Leucanthemum Nipponicum	
Dianthus barbatus	10.00	Liatris spicata	
Dianthus plumaris plenus	10.00 $10.00$	Linum perenne	
Dianthus superbus	12.00	Lobelia Cardinalis	
Dicentra eximea	15.00	Lychnis Chalcedonica	
Dicentra spectabilis	35.00	Lychnis Chalcedonica fl. pl	
Dictamus Fraxinella	35.00	Lychnis Haageana hybrida	
	10.00	Lythrum roseum superbum	
Digitalis purpurea  Doronicum plantagineum	25.00	Monarda didyma	8.00
Echinacea purpurea	15.00	Monarda fistulosa	
Echinacea purpurea hybrid	15.00 $15.00$	Oeonothera fruticosa	
Eryngium amethystinum	15.00 $12.00$	Pachysandra terminais	
Eulalia Japonica fol. var	12.00 $18.00$	Paeonies herbaceous	
Eulalia Japonica zebrina	18.00 $18.00$	Paeonies. Pink	
Eulalia univittata (gracilis)	18.00	Paeonies. Pink and white	
Eurana univittata (gracins)	10.00	raconies. Fink and white	20.00

## HARDY HERBACEOUS PLANTS—(Continued)

Per	100	Pe	r 100
Paeonies. Red	35.00	Rudbeckia subtomentosa	12.00
Paeonies. White	30.00	Sedum album	8.00
	15.00	Sedum carneum	8.00
	15.00	Sedum Lydium	8.00
	10.00	Sedum oppositifolium	8.00
	10.00	Sedum Spectabile	10.00
	10.00	Sedum Spectabile rubrum	12.00
Phalaris arundinacea fol. var	8.00	Sedum spurium splendens	8.00
	12.00	Scabiosa caucasica	12.00
	12.00	Spiraea aruncus	25.00
,,,,	15.00	Spiraea astilboides	
	15.00	Spiraea filipendula plena	25.00
Phlox subulata		Spiraea Japonica	
	15.00	Spiraea Japonica grandiflora	25.00
	12.00	Spiraea palmata rubra	25.00
U	$12.00 \\ 12.00$	Spiraea ulmaria plena	25.00
	$12.00 \\ 10.00$	Statice latifolia	$12.00 \\ 10.00$
	$10.00 \\ 10.00$		
	15.00	Stokesia cyanea	12.00
	12.00	Tradescantia Virginica	8.00
	15.00	Veronica longifolia subsessilis	15.00
	12.00	Veronica rupestris	12.00
Rudbeckia Californica maxima		Veronica spicata	12.00 $12.00$
	12.00	Vinca minor	12.00
	10.00	Viola cornuta. Jersey Gem	
Rudbeckia maxima		Yucca filamentosa	
Rudbeckia speciosa		Yucca filamentosa maxima	

Hundreds of Other Varieties in Stock-Old Fashioned Gardens Designed and Planted

#### HARDY CACTI AND SUCCULENTS

If planted by themselves in a rock garden they make a beautiful and unique effect, both in summer and winter. In summer they produce a quantity of very showy flowers, while the low growing sedums make a regular multicolored carpet.

The following is a list of the leading varieties, of which we have ample stock, but there are twice as many varieties of the hardy ones that will soon be ready for distribution. Try them and see what a beautiful effect they produce.

Ea	ch	E	lach
Echinocereus Baileyi\$	.25	Sedum lineare variegatum	.25
Euphorbia cyparissus	.25	Sedum ellacombianum	.15
Manimillaria vivipara	.25	Sedum rupestre	.15
Opuntia arborescens type	.50	Sedum sarmentosum	.15
Opuntia erinacea, Grizzly Bear	.35	Sedum sexangulare	.15
Opuntia macrorhiza	.25	Sedum spurium	.15
Opuntia missouriensis	.25	Sedum spectabile	.15
Opuntia vulgaris	.15	Sedum spectabile variegatum	.15
	.35	Sedum tennifolium	.15
Opuntia polyacantha	.25	Sempervivum tectorum	.15
Agave Utahensis var. Nevadensis	.50	Sempervivum in varieties	.15
Sedum acre	.15	Yuca Filamentosa	.25
Sedum album	.15	Yucca flaccida variegata	.50

## DECIDUOUS FLOWERING AND FOLIAGE SHRUBS

IN ALL SIZES, 25c TO 95c EACH

Amorpha fruiticosa Aralia spinosa Azalea calendulacea Azalea mollis Azalea pontica Azalea Vaseyii Berberis Thunbergii Berberis vulgaris Berberis vulgaris purpurea Hydrangea paniculata Calycarpa purpurea Calycanthus floridus Clethra alnifolia Corchorus Japonica Corchorus Japonica fl. pl. Corchorus Japonica var. Cornus sanguinea Cornus Spathii aurea Corylus avellana atropur- Philadelphus inodorus purea Cydonia Japonica Deutzia crenata fl. pl. alba Rhodotypus kerrioides Deutzia crenata fl. pl. Rhus glabra laciniata rosea

Deutzia gracilis. Forsythia Fortunii Forsythia suspensa Forsythia viridissima Hibiscus Syriacus Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora Ligustrum ovalifolium Ligustrum ovalifolium aureum (Manda's Golden) Lonicera tartarica alba Lonicera tartarica rubra Philadelphus coronarius Philadelphus grandiflorus Philadelphus Lemoineii Prunus triloba Ribes aureum

Sambucus nigra aurea Spiraea Billardii Spiraea Anthony Waterer Spiraea opulifolia aurea Spiraea prunifolia pl. Spiraea Reevesii Spiraea Reevessi fl. pl. Spiraea Thunbergii Spiraea Van Houtteii Syringa persica Syringa vulgaris Syringa vulgaris alba Syringa vulgaris Charles X Syringa Marie Legraye Tamarix Africana Tamarix indica Viburnum opulus Viburnum plicatum Weigela amabilis Weigela amabilis alba Weigela roses Zanthorhiza apiifoilia

## EVERGREEN FOLIAGE AND FLOWERING SHRUBS

25c TO \$5.00 EACH

Abelia rupestris Andromeda Catesbaeii Andromeda floribunda Andromeda Japonica Aucuba Japonica Azalea amoena Azalea indica alba Berberis aquifolium Berberis fascicularis Calluna vulgaris alba Cassandra calyculata

Cotoneaster buxifolia Cotoneaster Microphylla Euonymus Japonicus Euonymus radicans arborescens Ilex crenata Leiophyllumbuxifolium Kalmia latifolia Rhododendron Catawbiense Rhododendron maximum Rhododendron hybrids

#### DECIDUOUS TREES

IN ALL SIZES, \$1.00 TO \$10.00 EACH

Acer dasycarpum Acer plantanoides Acer polymorphum in all vars. Acer negundo Acer saccharinum Aesculus hippocastanum Betula alba atropurpurea Betula alba pendula laciniata Catalpa Bungeii standard Catalpa speciosa Cerasus Sieboldii in var. Cercis Canadensis

Liriodendron tulipifera Magnolia in all vars. Morus (Teas Weeping) Paulowinia imperialis Persica vulgaris alba fl. pl. Persica vulgaris coccinea pl. Platanus orientalis Populus monolifera Prunus Pissrdii Pyrus spectabilis Quercus alba Quercus coccinea Quercus palustris Robina hispida rosea

## DECIDUOUS TREES—(Continued)

IN ALL SIZES, \$1.00 TO \$10.00 EACH

Chionanthus Virginicus Cornus florida Cornus florida rubra Crataegus oxycantha plena in var. Fagus sylvatica purpurea Fagus sylvatica purpurea Riversii Fraxinus excelsior Salix Babylonica Salix laurifolia Tilia Americana Tilia Argentea Tilia Europaea Ulmus Americana Ulmus pendula

Large specimen trees and varieties not listed in stock. Call at the Nurseries or write for particulars, stating your wants

## CONIFERAE (EVERGREEN OR RESINOUS TREES)

Abies Canadensis Abies Nordmanmana

Juniperus Chinensis variegata Juniperus communis hibernica Juniperus Virginiana glauca

Picea alba

Picea Alcockiana Picea excelsa Picea excelsa pendula

Picea orientalis Picea pungens glauca

Pinus Austriaca Pinus excelsa Pinus mugho Pinus strobus Pinus sylvestris
Retinospora filifera
Retinospora pisifera
Retinospora pisifera aurea
Retinospora plumosa
Retinospora plumosa aurea
Retinospora squarrosa Veitchii
Sciadopitis verticillata
Taxus baccata

Taxus baccata
Taxus caspidata
Thuja George Peabody
Thuja occidentalis

Thuja occidentalis compacta Thuja occidentalis pyramidalis Thuja orientalis compacta

We have fifty varieties of evergreens in sizes from 1 inch to 15 feet in height
Prices on application

## HARDY VINES AND CREEPERS

50c TO \$1.00 EACH

Actinidia polygama Akebia quinita Ampelopsis quinquifolia Ampelopsis Veitchii Aristolochia sipho Bignonia radicans Celastrus scandens Clematis is many varieties. Clematis paniculata
Euonymus radicans
Euonymus radicans variegata
Hedera canariensis
Jasminum humile
Jasminum nudiflorum
Lonicera in var.

## CRASSULA ARBORESCENS

(Front Page Cover)

Specimen in flower in our Show Cactus Conservatory, sometimes called wrongly Japanese Rubber Plant, native of Africa. One of the finest Succulent Plants in cultivation. We can supply you any quantity of good plants from 15 cents to \$150.00 each.

#### **SPECIALTIES**

## Bromeliads or Pineapple Plants

We have to bring to your attention the Bromeliads, as described on page 5. We have been experimenting with these for a number of years and have found them even hardier than the Cacti and Succulents, if that is possible. They can be divided into two classes, that is, the large upright growing ones, such as Billbergia. Vriesia, Tillandsia and similar classes, which are tall growing and form the actual and living vase plant. They are very useful if arranged with some fancy foliage plant in combination and make a wonderful desk plant as well as a plant for filling strawberry jars.

The dwarf growing varieties are especially species of the Cryptanthus. They make dwarf compact plants that can be used with the tall growing kinds, or almost for any purpose, including any arrangement with Cacti and Succulents and any of them could be highly recommended as they form a distinct class of plants from anything else and they are greatly admired by everyone. Unfortunately, they are rather slow growing and slow propagating, hence not very plentiful. Combinations of these plants are from \$3.50 to \$12.00 each, or if you wish the plants themselves we could furnish them as follows:

Cryptanthus in dwarf variety, beautifully colored kinds\_\$.35 to \$1.00 each Billbergias, or tall growing varieties or live vase plants, in assortment according to variety and size\_\_\_\_\_\_.75 to 3.00 each Special assortment, 12 plants in 12 varieties \_\_\_\_\_\_\$10.00

We would advise any first class florist to try a selection of these plants or fancy combinations. \$3.50 and up. See page 5 and last cover.

#### **Echeverias**

Another class of plants that has attracted our attention on account of their many desirable qualities and we have for many years hybridized this beautiful class of plants so that between the species and hybrids we can now offer over twenty-five varieties in quantity and as many more in collection lots. These plants are not only beautiful as far as the plants themselves go, with the foliage arranged in the form of a rosette, same looks almost like a flower itself. The coloring varies from green to all shades of colors, into the pink and red, while the flowers range in color from white to shades of yellow, orange and red. They come on stems varying from three inches to three feet in height, with flowers arranged in branches which keep and continue in flower from two to four months and when cut, last from two to four weeks fresh and develop new flowers. They might be classed as the most extraordinary plants and now with the collection of species, in addition to the new hybrids, they can be had in flower almost any time of the year.

We can furnish nice plants in assortment, our selection from \$.15 to \$.50 each, or could make you a collection of twelve distinct kinds, one of each, for \$3.50, or ten plants of each, twelve varieties, at \$.25 each.



VITIS RHOMBOIDEA

#### Awarded first prize as the best new plant

This photograph represents the finest vine for house decoration. It has stood all sorts of trial and was the only survival from a collection of plants that was subjected to a gas leak.

We can furnish nice plants in three-inch pots at \$.35 each, four-inch pots at \$.50 and five and six-inch pots at \$1.00, also specimens in tubs from \$2.00 to \$7.50 each.

#### CACTI AND SUCCULENTS

Cacti and Succulents are here to stay on account of their wonderful lasting qualities, which we and the public have experimented with under all conditions and found them to be the best plants for house culture—especially where they do not receive regular care.

If you have not already started, do not delay introducing these to your patrons. As you know, all the people nowadays are from Misosuri and have to be shown. Therefore make a good showing at the start, and if you leave the selection to us, we can give you a collection of \$25.00, \$50.00, \$75.00 or \$100.00 worth, and you will be delighted with the beautiful plants you will get. Then you can drop a line to your best customers asking them to call and see the new goods, and you will be surprised at how fast you will sell these. Not only that, but it will bring customers to your store to buy flowers and other stock that you wish to sell. 10% extra selection given free with above cash orders.

#### SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR BEGINNERS

In order for you to get acquainted with our stock, we will furnish the following:

	plants of Cacti, labeled value	
20	plants of Succulents, labeled value	4.50
4	Animal Dishes, at \$.35 each	1.40
1	Fancy Pot with three plants	.75
1	Fancy Bowl with four plants	1.00
1	Fancy Bowl with five plants	1.50
1	Nice Bowl with assorted plants	2.50
		\$ 18.15

for \$15.00 net cash, all labeled so as to give you a base with which to work out future collections. This is quite a reduction, and besides you have a chance to acquaint yourself with the varieties and can then re-order in quantity as you may wish.

#### MANDA'S CACTUS GARDENS

Originated and used by us to the trade at large, which have created such an interest among the public.

These gardens should not be confused with lots of trash that has been thrown on the market of late by inexperienced parties just to sell them.

Our gardens are arranged in the most artistic manner, with well established plants, which we have found from experience to be the most lasting. They are made for the public's satisfaction and are of lasting quality.

Remember, we have the largest and most varied collection and stock in the country. We have them all sizes, from ordinary size plants to large specimens for special use.

If you are not sure of what to order leave the selection to us, stating the class of plants you want, and we will give you good value and satisfaction.



EXHIBIT OF MANDA'S PLANT COMBINATION

The above is a picture of a display we had at Flower Shows which always attracted the attention of the plant loving public

WE HAVE NOT ONLY NOVELTY AND RARE PLANTS, BUT ALSO EVERYDAY STOCK

## Be Up-to-Date—Display Up-to-Date Stock

Offer your customers something new and unusual and do not wait until your customer asks for it

Everything is advancing, why not our profession?

When you need anything in the horticultural line, write us

We can supply you with almost any plant

Also Tufa Rock and artistic containers of our own origination

# TERMS UPON WHICH WE DO BUSINESS

All correspondence pertaining to the business should be addressed to the firm and not to any of the employees.

ALL ACCOUNTS ARE RENDERED MONTHLY. Our patrons are requested to remit by checks, express or post office money-orders, or currency in registered letters. We will not be responsible for money sent in unregistered letters. From unknown correspondents either a remittance or reference is required with each order.

WE SEND GOODS C. O. D. when the order is accompanied by a remittance of at least 25 per cent of its total value. This

guarantees acceptance of goods upon arrival at destination.

WE DO NOT GUARANTEE delivery or safe carriage of goods. After the goods are delivered to the Transportation Company in good condition, and receipted for by them, our responsibility ceases, as they are beyond our control, and become the property of the purchaser who, if necessary, must make claim to the transportation company.

PACKING. All packing is charged for at cost.

COMPLAINTS. Any complaints arising should be made within three days after receipt of the goods, otherwise they cannot be considered.

EARLY ORDERS. Orders are solicited at as early a date as possible, that we may have ample time for their execution. Please write plainly, name, post office, express office and any other necessary information as to the best method forwarding; express is recommended.

NON-WARRANTY. Most of the failures with seeds, plants and bulbs are due to causes entirely beyond our control, such as unfavorable weather and soil conditions, too deep or too shallow planting, etc., which render it impossible for us to guarantee success. Although we take all possible care to supply only such stock as will, under proper conditions, produce satisfactory results, we still give no warranty as to description, quality or productiveness of any of the seeds, plants, bulbs, or any other goods we send out, and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop or results, also if stock is exhausted when orders are filled, or anything in or beyond our control, and every order will only be accepted on these conditions.

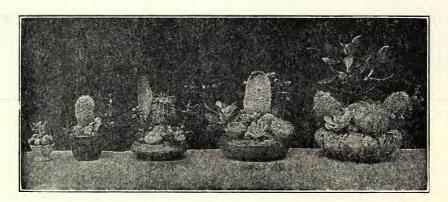
ORDERS placed and accepted cannot be cancelled except with our consent.

#### Visit Our Nurseries

The nurseries are situated on the D., L. & W. R. R., adjoining the depot at South Orange. There are 100 trains daily, so visitors will only have a few minutes to wait, trains being so frequent. There are also electric cars from Newark to South Orange Depot, connecting with the Pennsylvania R. R. and Jersey Central R. R. every ten minutes. Also from Orange to South Orange, connecting with the Erie R. R. Taking it all in all, it is the most accessible nursery in the country.



LIVING VASE PLANT COMBINATIONS



FEW POPULAR CACTUS GARDENS

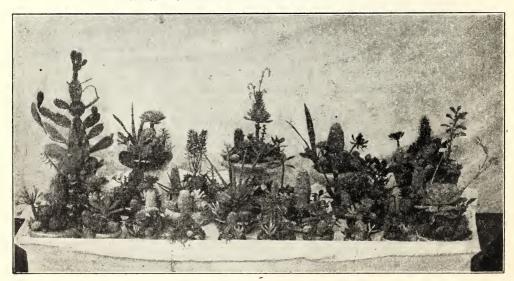


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